

## Message Text

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ACTION ACDA-10

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 NEA-09 IO-10 ISO-00 ERDA-05 AF-06

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FM AMEMBASSY KATHMANDU

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1100

INFO USMISSION GENEVA

AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

USMISSION USUN

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE KATHMANDU 1267

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, PARM, NP

SUBJ: ENTRY INTO FORCE OF BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS CONVENTION

REF: STATE 040761

NEPALSES MFA, IN RESPONSE TO EMBASSY'S DEMARCHE ON  
RATIFICATION OF BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS CONVENTION, INFORMED  
US THAT CONVENTION NOW UNDER STUDY AND REVIEW IN  
LAW MINISTRY. KEY INTERNATIONAL LAW EXPERT, HOWEVER,  
WILL BE ABSENT FOR TWO MONTHS AT LAW OF SEA CONFERENCE,  
AND RATIFICATION OF BWC WILL HAVE TO AWAIT HIS RETURN.  
MFA ANTICIPATES NO DIFFICULTY WITH RATIFICATION AND HOPES  
IT CAN BE APPROVED AT SESSION OF LEGISLATURE IN SUMMER. CARGO

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## Message Attributes

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